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Applicants: Joichi Ushioda, et al.

Serial No.: 10/067,506

Group Art Unit: To Be Assigned

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For : SUBSTRATE SUPPORTING TABLE, METHOD  
FOR PRODUCING SAME, AND PROCESSING SYSTEM

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NON-  
PROVISIONAL APPLICATION, FILED UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed March 28, 2002, Applicants submit herewith the following documents relating to the above-captioned patent application:

- \* A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application;
- \* Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- \* Assignment Recordation Cover Form attached w/ executed Assignment;
- \* English language translation of application;
- \* Claim for Foreign Priority with two certified copies of Japanese applications;
- \* Formal Drawing Transmittal with 6 sheets of formal drawings;
- \* Check for \$1,622.00

The check in the amount of \$1,622.00 is enclosed is to cover the following fees:

Basic Filing Fee:	\$ 740.00 (large entity)
Surcharge:	\$ 130.00
Recordation Fee:	\$ 40.00
Claims (excess of 20)	\$ 162.00
Claims (excess of 3)	\$ 420.00
Surcharge (non-English)	\$ 130.00
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$ 1,622.00</b>



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If any additional fees are due in connection with this filing, such as fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the fees to SGR Deposit Account No. 02-4300; Order No. 33082M120. Similarly, please credit any overpayment to SGR Deposit Account No. 02-4300.

Respectfully submitted,

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FORMAL DRAWING TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Submitted herewith are six (6) drawing sheets which are to replace the originally  
filed drawing sheets.

If for any reason the enclosed drawings are not deemed to satisfy all formal  
drawing requirements, a telephone call to the undersigned is respectfully requested to  
expedite the process.

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02 FC 105	130.00 OP
03 FC 139	130.00 OP
04 FC 103	162.00 OP
05 FC 102	420.00 OP

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1000.**
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing figures contain text that is not in English (including, for example, a flow chart

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that was originally not in English that has been marked up to include the English text)  
see 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) and 37 CFR 1.52(d)(1);

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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